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 TRANSPORTATION BRANCH
 SERVICES DIVISION
 MONTHLY REPORT FOR
 April 1958

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1. Accomplishments

The following reports were submitted by the Transportation Branch in April:

<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Analyst(s)</u>
A 00.2066	Revision of Economic Intelligence Statistical Handbook	All analysts 25X1A9a
43.1953	Czech Civil Air Policies and Capabilities	
43.1961	Soviet Civil Air System	
43.2038	Polish Merchant Fleet	
S-266	Railways in Hungary - Special Questionnaire	
S-282	Soviet Bloc Shipping Calling at Indonesia	
CSM 576	Possible Missile Construction Activities	
CSM --	Change in Soviet Rail Movements to and from the Satellites	
CSM --	Water Transportation in North Korea	
CIWR-II	Expansion of Bloc Merchant Fleet Operations	

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25X1A9a Mr. [redacted] attended a meeting of the EIC Subcommittee on Transportation.

25X1A9a Mr. [redacted] briefed Mr. [redacted] on S/TR intelligence requirements and other Branch activities.

25X1A9a ✓ Messrs. [redacted] briefed Mrs. [redacted], new
 25X1C8a Liaison Officer.

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✓ Messrs. [REDACTED] furnished support to TIA and AMS analysts working on the Soviet, Hungarian and Czechoslovak NIS programs.

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Mr. [REDACTED] coordinated internal CIA and other agency collection and processing programs on freight car serial numbers.

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Mrs. [REDACTED] reviewed a Department of State draft on Sino-Soviet Bloc civil aviation prepared for the EIC Working Group on Economic Penetration.

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Mrs. [REDACTED] also spoke to the European Satellite Committee on Czech Civil Air Policies.

Research is underway on the following projects:

<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Analyst(s)</u>
10.1806	Soviet NIE - through 1963	25X1A9a [REDACTED]
43.1668	Middle East Shipping	
43.1954	Chinese Communist Freight Rates	
43.1956	Transport Contribution to Communist China's GNP	
43.1957	Development of Transportation in Soviet West Siberia	
43.1959	European Satellites Transport System	

2. Plans

We hope to hold discussions this month with a representative of the Stanford Research Institute on its capabilities to implement external research proposals for Fiscal '59.

The Branch submitted a new set of basic requirements designed to obtain DD/P approval and thus increase collection activities on current S/TR intelligence requirements.

3. Administration

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✓ Mrs. [REDACTED] resigned from the Agency.

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✓ Mr. [REDACTED] transferred to the DD/S. Mr. [REDACTED] assumed his duties as Acting Chief, TR/IO. 25X1A9a

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Mr. [REDACTED] completed the Basic Management Course.

Problems and Recommendations

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✓ The departure of Mrs. [REDACTED] has resulted in a significant increase in the already heavy workload of our remaining clerical staff.

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